sswood a Lake of Mud and Water, Making Staging of Opener Impossible—All the ribesmen in Good Shape.

CHICKS' HOME STAY

Mobile—May 17, 18, 19, New Orleans—May 20, 21, 22, Mobile—May 23, Birmingham—May 24, 25, 26, 27, Atlanta—May 28, 29, 30, 31, 31, New Orleans—June 1,

BY BOB PIGUE.

The league-leading Chicks will not in a ball game Monday. The rainaker has already injected a crimp to basebailing, and Russwood park embles a sea of mud and water, let a steep downpour all night modey, and early Monday morning. The Mobile Bears, chaperoned by anager Bob Coleman and Presimt John Dee Logan, arrived in emphis early Monday. They are lied for three games, but will play by two this trip, playing off the atponed game on their next insion of the Bluff City.

ay will be ladies' day, and all dom is invited to turn out and the league leaders battle with bilians, starting at 4 o'clock, feminine fan guessing nearest endance will be given a season

Tribesmen Ready.

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I John J. McCloskey of the Chicks of John J. McCloskey of the Chicks of the Tribesmen are ready to make ong home stand against the four are clubs—Mobile. Birmingham, orleans and Atlanta—and that he fident that the Chicks will be so front at the end of the stay endly soil they will be hard for her clubs to overhaul.

Chicks have been in hostile terfor the past two weeks with the ion of last Sunday when they in Memphis and lost to Birming. In a close game. The Tribe left his in first place, and were soon d off the initial perch, but duffer final week in foreign territory limbed back into the leading poand returned to Memphis early y, heading the list by a slender between the control of the list by a slender between the control of the list by a slender between the control of the list by a slender between the control of the list by a slender between the control of the list by a slender between the control of the list by a slender between the control of the list by a slender between the control of the list by a slender between the control of the control of the list by a slender between the control of the control of the list by a slender between the control of the control of

hicks have 16 games to play at not counting Monday's contest was cantelled on account of a undance of moisture. ball club plays better ball at ban on the road, and the Chicks ected to pull away from the field the ensuing couple of weeks.

Blades Improves. Pribesmen are in good condition he exception of Ray Blades, Chick op, who was injured in the Sun-ame here between Memphis and gham.

Is has been under the care of sopath, who is rubbing the soration of his leg, which was twisted if the knee. He is gradually geneticer, and expects to be back in the influence of four days, the meantime Harry Collenberger, utility man, who has been filling Blades at short, has been playhead off, fielding fine and hithe ball hard. Colly's work has reliant, and on the Southern trip the recipient of many bouquets.

nte Prieste, ex-Chick pitcher, who

Get Bob Higgins.

n Dixieland, and that he would play here, started his baseball career in its many years ago. He is too ball player to be let escape. He make the Chicks into a pennantic combination, for there's no dethe fact that the Tribe needs head catcher to holp them. The two backstops, Bischoff and are both youngsters, to officials should leave nothing in trying to get Higgins, for it that the Tribe will be in the throughout the year. They always a good hall club, but the sunquestionably wests behind the not Higgins would fit in admirably of the plate.

600 FANS WATCH INDIANS BEAT YANKS

YORK, May 17.—Before the crowd ever assembled at the counts, Cleveland defeated New unday, 8 to 2. Mays was driven be box in the first inning when iton, scored five runs by clean official attendance was an-lat 38,600. The former record local field was 38,281 at a series game in 1911.

MICHOLSON ARRIVES.

PYYORK, May 17.—Charles E son, designer of Sir Thomas is yacht, Shamrock IV, arrived Surday on the steamer Maurefrom Southampton, to inspect cent alterations made in the case our challenger at the city shippard. He expressed regret to 25 meter Shamrock, which had clayed by storms in its trip from d, had not arrived as he wished allenger to have her trouts as a possible. The smaller loat left outh, England, May 4.

BIG MEET STARTS.

MBIA, S. C., May 17.—With be 400 and 500 officers and mer a track, field, swimming, box

PLAYERS JUMP.

OWNS BEAT JOHNSON. IN(FON. May 17.—8! Louis on the series by taking the ame from Washington yesterof Wellman puzzled the for the first two innings, while weakened toward the close.

Bob Higgins Quits Baseball And Will Sell Automobiles ATLANTA. Ga., May 17.—Bob Higgins, veteran catcher, who was deposed Saturday as field manager of the Atlanta hasehall team, will quit baseball and become connected with a local automobile agency here, according to statements quoting him published here today. Higgins, who has played in the Southern a number of years, came to Atlanta last spring from Chattanooga and was credited with coaching the Crackers' recruit pitchers into a staff of pennant winners. Some criticism of his work which had been heard this season culminated a week ago in an outburst of speciators at his management of the team. Dick Kauffman, recently obtained from Nashville, will succeed Higgins it was announced, while Outfielder Sam Mayer will be assistant manager and financial secretary. The announcement from President Frank that Kauffman would be field manager was taken as setting at rest reports that he would return to Nashville, from which team he jumped early in the season. ATLANTA. Ga., May 17.-Bob

Rain Breaks Up Game in Fifth Inning With Each Club Hav-

Up Four-Game Series.

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 17.—New Orleans and Memphis played five innings to a 1 to 1 the here Sunday, the game being called in the end of the fifth on account of rain. Heavy rain tell all day, and the ground was muddy and in Foor shape for playing ball. Metuphis scored when Dowie threw to left field to catch Carvoll off third New Gricans score came in the fourth, when Turkelson, batting for Newell, singled, scoring Neusel, who had reached second on Collenberger's error. 'Score:

NEW ORLEANS

Summary: Stolen base—Carroll, ruck out—By Barfoot 3, by Thweatt Base on bulls—Off Tweatt I. Hit pitched ball—By Thweatt (Knaupp), ut on bases—New Orleans 3, Memphis, Time of game 55 minutes. Unspires Jonnson and Pfirman.

THE FIGURES

HOW THEY STAND.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

WHERE THEY PLAY.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BASEBALL RESULTS.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Minneapolis 5, Columbus 3, At St. Paul 11, Toledo 1, At Milwankee 3, Louisville 5, At Kansay City 3, Indianapolis 2,

VOLS DEFEAT TRAVELERS.

NASHVILLE. Tenn. May 17—Nashville took sunday a game from Little Rock. 5 to 2 in a game marked by brilliant fleiding. Although Stewart pitched masterly ball up until the eighth sensational catches by the Nashville outfield repeatedly broke up railies. Wickham was the star with a home run, a single and three bases on balls while his fleiding scintillated. Miller, of Little Rock, robbed Burke of a three-base hit.

Only names played:

Chicago at Boston. St. Louis at Washington. Defroit at Philadelphia. Only three games scheduled.

Mobile at Memphis. Birmingham at Atlanta. New Orleans at Little Rock. Nashville at Chattanooga.

Boston at Chicago, Brooklyn at St. Louis, New York at Pittsburgh, Philadelphia at Cincinnati,

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ing Counted Once-Winds

Gene Delment, Local Lightweight, and Pacific Coast Boy Primed for Hard Mill. Mexican Kid vs. Gorilla John

BY BOB PIGUE. BY BOB PIGUE.

If Frankie Tucker, Pacific coast lightweight, is anticipating any easy picking when he meets Gene Delmont, of Memphis, when they meet Monday night at the Southern Athletic club, Tucker will discover about a minute after the first gong has sounded that he has made a bad guess, for Delmont is right at the top of his game right now, and should afford Tucker eight of the busiest sessions he has had in his few years as a giovester.

Both Tucker and Delmont wound up their training Sunday with a hard day's work, and are in fine fettle to step fast throughout the battle.

Delmont Is Confident.

Delmont will enter the ring confent that he will be returned the victo

ster.

Delmont has a punch in either hand, as has Tucker. Both boys appear to be evenly matched, and anything may be expected when they go to the post.

The Mexican Kid will make his final appearance in a local arena in the semi-windup Monday night when he meets Gorilla John, a local dusky warfor. These two gladiators met last Monday night and the Gorilla went out like a candle in a hurricane following his foolish stunt in shoving his jaw in the range of the Mexican's left hand in order to show his ebony-hued rooters that he could take a punch. The Gorilla took one all right—with disastrous results.

But he has asked for another chance, stating that he will not give the Mexican another opportunity to lay him out. He was giving the Mexican a hard fight until he presented Mex a free shot at his jaw, when the bout came to an abrupt end.

There will be two four-rounders and a battle royal.

Moore Meets Lynch.

Up in Gotham Monday night Pal Moore is meeting Joe Lynch, of New Fork. It will mark Pal's first fight ince he lost to Carl Tremaine, of Jeveland, in the Sixth City last Tues-

day night.

Moore expects to win over Lynch Monday night, although Joe is a hard nit for any bantam to crack. Pal is pining for another shot at Tremaine, and refuses to admit that the Clevelander is his master.

It appears from here that Moore is being matched with too many tough boys in too short a time.

He met Kid Wolfe in Memphis two weeks ago. He then met Carl Tremains in Cleveland last week. And Monday night he is taking on Joe Lynch.

Monday night he is taking on Joe
Lynch
And each one of the these boys is
around the top in the bantam ranks
and capable of forcing Moore to extend himself to the limit. It looks like
Pal is being overmatched, and that
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Note that Pete Herman is going to

Note that Pete Herman is going to meet Carl Tremaine in a no-decision bout in Cleveland soon. Pete had better nall his crown to his head before entering the arena with the hard-hitting little Clevelander. AMERICAN LEAGUE, W.L.Pet. W. L. Pet. W. L. Pet. Cleve 17 7 708 Wash 12 12 500 Boston 14 8 630 S. Louis 11 12 478 Chicago 12 9 571 Phila 8 13 381 N. York 12 12 500 Detroit 5 18 217

Jack Britton, welterweight champion, is meeting Mike O'Dowd, dethroned middleweight king in Canton, O., Monday night in the first bout O'Dowd has had since he lost to Johnny Wilson, a dark horse, a couple of weeks back.
O'Dowd figures the middleweight title has gone, and that he has a chance to beat the veteran Jack Britton, and thereby become the king of the welters. Britton is old, but there is not a cleverer man in the ring today, and he expects to continue keeping his trougers shiny by parking on the welterweight throne for many more years.

Mike Gibbons asked for a crack at Johnny Wilson, the new middleweight champ, but Johnny never heard him. Mike had retired, but he was willing to doff his pajamas, and climb back into the ring, for he figures he would smear Wilson's frontispiece all over the surrounding territory, and win the middleweight title.

Joe White, the local heavyweight, here Jack Britton, welterweight champion NATIONAL LEAGUE.
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Chicago 14 12 .538 N. York 8 12 .400
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Joe White, the local heavyweight, has donted the mitts again, and is making ready for his second start. Joe recently polished off Texas Tate in eight rounds, and now wants to meet Bob Martin, A. E. F. heavyweight champion.

Joe is under the direction of Blackle Reserved.

AMERICAN LEAGUE BATTING AVERAGES

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Oraill Drives Wiggler to Victory Over Two Fast Steppers-Opener of Tri-State Driving Club Big Success.

Tip Top pulled down honors for the as Saturday at the official opening the 1520 season of the Tri-State riving club at the faterrounds when a captured the third race of the promain from Romae Mills and Ruby Bin-

The favorite, Romac Mills, was sent off to a fixing start by Luther Mc-callum and came home with the first heat by a length. In the second, however, Tip Top presented a stiff bid and won by half a length. Tip Top took the third heat in like fashion after both Ruby Bingen and Romac Mills had made it a driving affair for two turns of the cigcuit.

had made it a driving affair for two It turns of the circuit. Tip Top was making his bow to Memphis fans Saturday and is a pacer of Grand Circuit, experience, brought to Memphis by Fred Orgill. The latter is highly elated at the showing of his sidewheeler and predicts that he will be a consistent performer through the summer races.

The track Siturday was not in the best of shape owing to recent rains and conditions were not satisfactory as contractors have yet to complete the moving of the stand from its old position to a new spot closer to the track.

Time-128, 2:34. THIRD RACE-FREE-FOR-ALL THIRD RACE-FREE
Fip Top (Orgili)
Romac Mills (McCalum)
Ruby Bingen (Goodman Ruby Bingen (Goodman) 2 3
Time—2:16% 2:17, 2:17%
FOURTH RACE—FREE-FOR-ALL
Bill, Jr. (McCallum) 1 2
Melba II (Lewfs) 2 1
Celts the Great (Downs) 3 4
Bettie Boyd (Smith) 4 3
Time—2:23%, 2:21%, 2:21
FIFTH RACE
Addle Rane (Dabbs) 1
Mr. 816 (Robinson) 2
Gertie B. (Gorman) 3
Time—2:25%, 2:25%

MEMPHIS **AMATEURS**

WHOLESALERS' LEAGUE, Standing of Clubs.

Moores Bank Cssug-Ellis 9 4 000 Saturday's Results—Hodges Field. Stratton-Warren Co. 11. Crane Co. 4 Guaranty Bank 13. Hessig-Ellis 6. Van Vleets 12, Layne & Bowler 1, Moores 2, Orgill Bros., 2

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE. Standing of Clubs. W. L.

J. B. EDGAR LEAGUE. Standing of Clubs.

Sunday's Results—Overton Park, Findules 7, Kaffee Beans 5, St. Mary's 9, Diamond Runnners 6 orfelt at

BEN HUR LEAGUE. Standing of Clubs.

Sunday's Results—Overton Park, Charlots 18, Stars 2 Only game played; rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE **BATTING AVERAGES**

INDIVIDUAL BATTING.

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RESOLUTE READY.

She will be inspected and her under body, which has been in the water for nearly two weeks, cleaned in prep-aration for the tuning-in races against the Vanitic off New Haven, beginning

OVERLOOKING BETS.

Kid McPartland thinks that boxing

no mention of Kid Carter, of Brook186 [vr., in summing up the greatest boxers in history
There's a boy," says the Kid, "who broke more hearts than landlords have broken promises. I never saw a gamer or more willing fighter. Many's the time 250 he looked as though he were done for only to step right out again, even things up and then pull out a winner. A tough guy. They didn't come any tougher, and how he loved to mix' Yes, they forgot that boy."

RECORD IN MAJORS **DURING PAST WEEK**

The week's record in each eague of games played, won and lost with runs, hits, errors, men left on including games of Saturday, May

NATIONAL LEAGUE

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

PHILS BEAT REDS.

CINCINNATI. May 17.—Philad-broke its lowing strenk of nine str games yesterday by winning from fleds in the fifteenth inning. Rim Rixey both pilched fine ball. Rixey's long fly to center.

BARONS GET OPENER.

ALTANTA. May 17—Birmingham-won the opening game of the series, played at Fort McPherson Sunday, 10 to 7, from Atlanta, whose errors con-tributed largely to the result. Boone had to retire in the second inning with the bases full and none out and Glaz-ner, who started for the Barots, was

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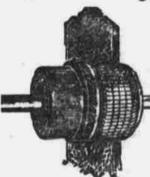
MOBILE. May 17.—Cunningham's excellent pitching prevented Mobile from scoring yesterday and Chattanooga won a pitching battle from Mobile 1 to 0.

Both of Mobile's hits off the visiting pitcher were drives carried away from the outfleiders by a high wind which swept the field. Hald also pitched fire is such as error by Ponds on Demoe's hall but an error by Ponds on Demoe's lail but an error by Ponds on Demoe's all but an error by Ponds on Demoe's arrounder and Rocckel's double sayed the visitors from a shotout.

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> This advance was made necessary after a careful audit by a certified accountant who has had charge of our business for the past ten years, and at the present cost of production it would be unsafe for us to hold the price at 90 cents a case, and, upon his recommendation, we have made this new price of five cents a dozen advance.

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